

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

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For: SYSTEM, METHOD AND  
APPARATUS FOR  
SELLING GIFT CERTIFICATES AND  
STORE CREDITS

Examiner:

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to examination, kindly consider this application in view of the following remarks.